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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	Criminal No. 20-252(2) WMW/HB
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b>MOTION TO WITHDRAW AND FOR</b>
ELIZABETH REEVES	)	<b>APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE</b>
SPORLEDER,	)	<b>COUNSEL</b>
	)	
Defendant.	)	

Comes now Shannon Elkins, appointed counsel for Elizabeth Reeves Sporleder, and hereby moves the Court to allow counsel to withdraw from the defendant's representation and that substitute counsel be appointed to represent the defendant in the above proceedings.

It has come to the attention of counsel that a conflict of interest exists within the office.

Therefore, counsel requests that the Court grant this motion to withdraw and that an attorney from the Criminal Justice Act Panel be appointed to represent the defendant.

Dated: March 26, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

*s/ Shannon Elkins*

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